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SUBJECT:U.S. GRAIN SALES TO THE SOVIETS

FOR AGRICULTURAL ATTACHE

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1. FROM INFORMATION AVAILABLE HERE, BELIEVE ACTUAL
PURCHASES OF U.S. WHEAT AND CORN UNDER FIRST YEAR OF THE
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AGREEMENT TO BE AT MINIMUM AGREEMENT LEVEL. ALTHOUGH
LATEST WEEKLY DATA(AS OF 4/3/77) SHOWS FURTHER DECLINES
FROM 3/31 DATA--WHEAT (DOWN FROM 3,020,600 TO 2,974,900)
AND CORN (DOWN FROM 3,015,500 TO 2,965,500)--BELIEVE THIS
REFLECTS SWITCHES AMONG U.S. EXPORTERS (COVERING POSITIONS
TO MEET DELIVERY SCHEDULES, OBTAINING COMMODITIES, ETC.)
RATHER THAN REDUCTIONS IN QUANTITIES TO BE EXPORTED UNDER

THE AGREEMENT. WEEKLY FIGURES MAY GO UP AND DOWN AS
SHIFTS ARE MADE BY EXPORTERS AND SUBSEQUENTLY PICKED UP
BY OTHERS.

2. UNNECESSARY FOR YOU TO MAKE SPECIAL INQUIRY THIS MATTER
WITH SOVIET OFFICIALS. HOWEVER, IF OPPORTUNITY SHOULD

ARISE, REFER TO THIS DATA AND INQUIRE IF COMMITMENTS HAVE
BEEN REDUCED FROM SOVIET SIDE. MATTER WILL BE DISCUSSED
IN DETAIL WITH SOVIET REPRESENTATIVES AT SEMI-ANNUAL
CONSULTATIONS TO BE HELD IN WASHINGTON IN MAY.
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